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### EDITORIAL

day, May 3, and Hon. J. W. Raynolds, Gazette. secretary of the territory, immedstely became acting governor. Mr. Raynolds has his instructions from Washington as to the conduct of the office, and will serve till the arrival of George Curry the new governor, from Manilla, about July 1. There was no formality observed in the transfer of the office, and ex-Governor Hagerman will not discuss the resignation.

Acting Governor Raynolds will attend to the gubernatorial duties in addition to his official duties as Secretary of the Territory, and will be in the governor's office during the afternoon of each day, during his service in these dual capacities. It is safe to say that Mr. Raynolds will be the busiest man in the territory for the next sixty days. He is actively engaged in the work of revising and publishing the laws of the territorial legislature, session of 1907, in addition to the numerous other duties of the busiest offices of the territory.

Among the wise provisions of the last legislature, and one which the tax payers all over the territory may possibly endorse, was the appropriation of \$f,500 for an irrigation celebration for the Fourth of July, down at Carlsbad. Of course, most Fourth of July celebrations are irrigation celebrations, and have been for a good many years past. And fifteen hundred dollars don't go very far with the irrigating, either when there is a big crowd. We hope the people down in Eddy will have a good time. Meantime, we expect to see dirt and rock flying on the Colfax county end of the Scenic highway, as soon as the laborers can be spared from the imprevements about the Capitol city.

While not pleased with the removal of Governor Hagerman, the Register-Tribune has every confidence that Hon. George Curry will make a splendid governor. Of our knowledge, he never had a chance officially but that he made good.-Register-Tribune.

The unversed defamers of Hon. George Curry having taken a rest; as that gentleman gets closer and eloser, to New Mexico, unjust critiof him becomes less attractive to them.-Register-Tribune

The Trust and Savings Bank of Vara-Visa was changed to a national bank and its capital stock has been increased.

Al'orney General Reid will now withhold his resignation until the coming of Governor to be Curry.

Secretary of War Taft will speak for Oklahoma republicans at Tulsa, June 6.

#### THE HE-SAID GIRLS

Did you ever notice a group of litthe girls between the ages of four-'teen and eighteen chattering away on a corner? The next time you sit near such a group listen and hear if about every tenth word is about what "he said." If it is you have found some more of the "he said" girls, and they are not the nicest little girls in the world. The "he said" girls are likely to loiter down town after school too late to help their mothers with the afternoon work. They are likely to wear a little better clothes than their fathers can afford, so the neighbors wonder what their mothers are thinking about. The "he said" girls" also too often think more of the boys than of their books and frequently fail to get through school They are in for a time and have nothing in their heads but hairpins and two steps.

Sometimes nature takes a girl out pf "he said" family and makes a fine soman of her, but generally she gets be going out to parties and is develmed before her time, and either marmes or fades at twenty, or hangs on after all the other girls are married aff, and takes generation after generation of young boys to raise by hand, and becomes to be known as "grand-

ma" in the crowd. There is nothing so sweet as a simple, frank, open-hearted girl, But the boy stuck girl is an abomination. The whole matter rests with the girl's mother. She can bring up one of the News and Press.

Herbert J. Hagerman, retired as "he said" girls or she can have a governor of New Mexico at 11:30 Fri- daughter to be proud of .- Burlington

> Strictly Hygienic. Re 'orick, the three-year-old hopeful ? a Chleago physician, had from the oricd of his earliest understanding en impressed that he should never ink unfiltered water. He listened tentively to the Bible story being id him where Moses smote the rock nd the water flowed out to quench ne thirst of the Israelites, and interipted his narrator to ask gravely: vas it filtered?"

Small French Landowners. There are no large landholders in he English or American or Russian ense, but 8,500,000 Frenchmen own utright the farms which they cultiate. Some of them consist only of r eld or two, but all are sufficient, with creat patience and skillful tillage, to upport life, bring up a family and ven give the daugthers a modest

The Old Home. We may doubt whether in heaven we shall always feel ourselves entirey there. Shall we not fall a-dreaming and be old men now and then in some f these old-and-new houses of ours! cometimes in placid reverie, by the ciestial waters, will not the doors of our old earthly houses reopen to re-ceive us?—John James Platt.

An Expert Opinion. "De Georgy mule," said Brother lickey, "is de one creetur in a thous in' what don't enjoy de spring season. le furrow looks ez long ter him ez de ime betwixt meals, en de high price r cotton gives him dat tired feelin'tase he well know he got des dat nuch mo' er it ter plow."-Atlanta

Dogs and Husbands.

For the loss of a dog in a railway ecident on the Midland, the owner ons been awarded \$1,500 damages 'or the loss of her husband, an enine driver, in the Salisbury railway eccident, a Mrs. Robbins was award Don't get married, ladies, ake out a dog license.-London Rey

Undoubtedly True. Prof Blander Matthews tells of an under-graduate student of science who vas asked: "What would happen if in irresistible force met an immovthle body?" The youth hesitated a oment, and then respond esult would be some very interesting

by-products." Sadly Misunderstood.

A London journalist says that Amer lcan women so abroad for husbands because they want to be bossed. And he great mass of American husbands will rise to remark feelingly to a man How little he knows our noble wom en!"-Baltimore American.

Originators of Slang. It is estimated that more than one half of all of the slang in current use has emanated from New York city. and an observer says that college boys and girls are responsible for more of it than are the boys and girls of the

Life of Paper Money. A five-dollar bill lives on an average two years before it is worn out and the government is called upon to replace it. Ten-dollar bills last about three years and \$20 bills more than four years.

India's Many Snakes. If Im' a could sell her snakes she would be the riches country on the It is said that more than

25,000 Hindus passed into the great

beyond last year as a result of snake Would Be Something New Four men, aged respectively 94, 91, 99 and 86, recently have died in Battle, Sussex. At this rate "died in Bat-

tle" soon will be a synonym for

longevity.-Birmingham (Eng.) Post. Reflections of the Mind. There is no question about it; if you have mean, narrow, ill-humored notions inside your head, they're dead sure to strike through to the surface and stamp your face with ugliness.

Profitable Bird. The record of a male ostrich in the possession of H. Oliver of Oudtshoorn, Cape Colony, shows that the bird has brought him the sum of \$10,000 in plumage.

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PENALTY OF GREATNESS.



Jimmy Smif-Wot's that on yer ead, Billy? Billie-It's strange that Rockyfeller

and me can't wear wigs without attractin' so much attention.

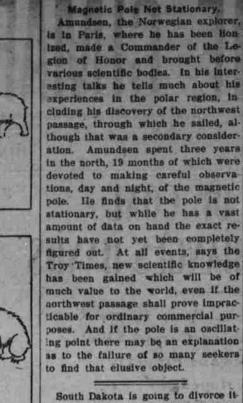
REVISED VERSION.



Old Mother Hubbard went to the cup-For something to quench her thirst.



But when she got there the bottle was Her old man had been there first!



self from the divorce evil, at least to a considerable extent. The people of that state have become disgusted at he ease and frequency with which divorces are obtained there, and paricularly displeased because of the scandal involved in the manner in which outsiders use the easy laws of that locality in severing matrimonial ties, and a change has been insisted upon. As it stands now a six months' residence gives a person the right to sue for divorce. The legislature has passed a bill fixing the period of residence at one year in the state and three months in the county in which proceedings are instituted, and providing that all hearings shall be in open court. It is alleged, says Troy Times, that this will put an end to the "divorce industry" in which so many out siders have engaged, and that South Dakota will cease to be the Mecca of unhappily mated individuals anxlous for quick release.

A hundred square miles of country around Mount Kosciusko, one of the highest peaks of the Australian Alps. have been proclaimed a reserve by the government, with a view to formation of a national park. "Freedom shrieked when Kosciusko fell," ac cording to the poet Campbell, and this peak was so named by a brother Polish patriot, the late Count de Strzelecki, a political refugee, who spent several years in Australia, and did some valuable exploring and geological work. He was probably the first discoverer of gold in Austrialia, but at the request of the local government, which feared an outbreak of the convict population if the news became known, he made no public announcment of the fact. He spent the closing years of his life in London, and was knighted by Queen Victoria.

Count Tolstol was once a shoema

lent and slow to prove profitable.

A gold coin-one-third of a guinea-

bearing the date of 1802, has been

found in a collection box in Peter-

borough, England, cathedral with a re-

quest that it should be sold and the

proceeds given to the cathedral resto-

It may not be out of place to call

the attention of the ladies to the fact

that the woman suffrage bill was talk-

ed to death in the British house of

commons. Thus we are once more re-

minded of the danger of too much

The ceremony of putting up the top-

knot of the young Prince Yung-chin

will take place, we are told, about the

middle of the first moon of the new

If the astronomers read the daily

papers they would not be at a loss to

account for the spots on the sun. It

A hen pecked a Manitoba man in

the face, and he is dying of blood

poisoning. Most henpecked men get

But do not these ladies who demand

Why don't some one of these beauty

Any man can tell a lie, but it takes

born diplomat to induce people to

that bachelors be taxed inadvertently

imply that bachelorhood is a luxury?

spots off the face of the sun?

believe it.

is probably having a brain storm.

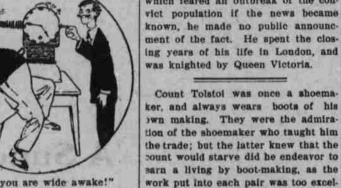
it in the neck and survive.

members of the court.

year,-Korea Daily News.

ration fund.

talking



There you are wide awake!"

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Agent-Oh! you just want a girl to wait on table. Well, I'll send you a green colored girl. Subbubs-No, you won't. We are not running any dime museums.

COULDN'T SEE IT.



The Kid-O-w-c-h! An' dis is what dey calls de poetry of motion!

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